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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed March 17, 2005, Applicant submits herewith a revised Listing of Claims to replace the Listing of Claims section originally submitted in the Amendment filed December 15, 2004 in response to the Office Action mailed September 29, 2004.

A Petition for Extension of Time is submitted herewith, including an authorization to charge our Deposit Account for the required fee. If any additional fees are required or if an overpayment is made, the Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, accordingly.

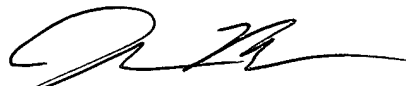
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